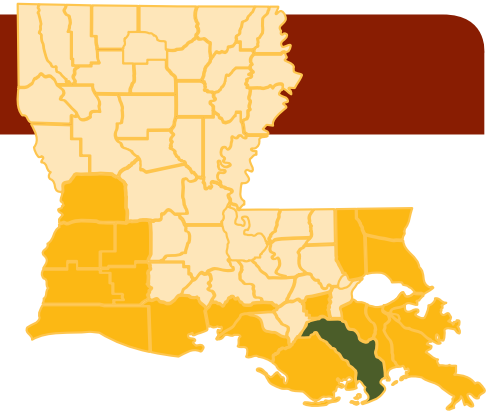


LAFOURCHE PARISH

Residents in Lafourche strongly support recovery planning that is focused on storm protection. Their priorities include establishing an elevated roadway to Port Fourchon, restoring coastal wetlands and improving levee protection.



Effects of Katrina and Rita

Major damage to the port, LA 1 and 5,000 homes resulted from landfall of Hurricanes Katrina and Rita. Since the hurricanes, the parish experienced an increase of 1,761 persons and has had fluctuating employment.

WHEN WILL WE RETURN?



WE TREASURE...

...our coastal fishing areas and our bayous.

PARISH TOP PRIORITIES:

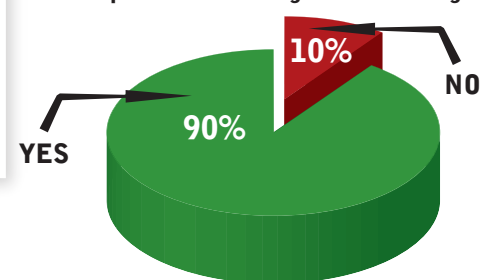
- #1 Make reconstruction jobs/training more available
- #2 Build better levees & other hurricane protection
- #3 Provide a better public transportation system

WE STRONGLY AGREE

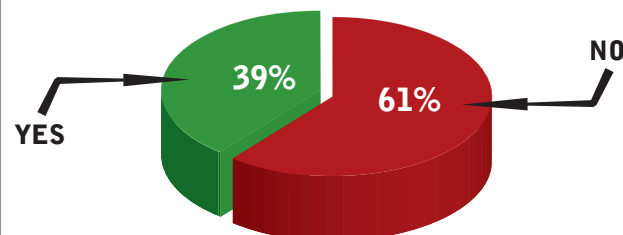
- 90% Zoning and land use plans should be used to guide rebuilding
- 85% We should prioritize flood protection over other needs
- 83% Public buildings should not be rebuilt in high-risk areas
- 81% We should rebuild in low-risk areas first
- 75% Changing our parish plans is an option if it makes the region stronger.
- 70% We should ensure that residents can return to their original home sites



Should zoning and land-use plans be used to guide rebuilding?



Are some areas too risky to rebuild?



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